384446 and 384447. CARPINUS BETULUS L. Betulaceae. European hornbeam.

From Union of Soviet Socialist Republics. Seed presented by Botanic Garden, Riga/Salaspils, Latvia. Received December 20, 1973.

384446. 'Cirava'.

384447. 'Salaspils'.

384448 to 384450.

From Germany. Seeds presented by Director, Botanischer Garten der Stadt Essen, Essen. Code numbers refer to 1969 Index Seminum. Received January 3, 1974.

384448. ASPARAGUS ASPARAGOIDES (L.) W. F. Wight Liliaceae.

Smilax asparagus.

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384449. ASPARAGUS DENSIFLORUS (Kunth) Jessop 801. 'Sprengeri'.

384450. ASPARAGUS OFFICINALIS L. 800.

Garden asparagus.

384451. COTONEASTER LUCIDA Schlecht. Rosaceae.

From Union of Soviet Socialist Republics. Plants held at Plant Introduction Station, Agricultural Research Service, Glenn Dale, Maryland. Received February 1, 1974.

Yakutak Botanical Garden, Siberia. This species used in hedge trials where winter temperatures of minus 70° F are recorded. Plant shows no apparent winter injury at Glenn Dale.

384452. PERISTROPHE SPECIOSA (Roxb.) Nees Acanthaceae.

From Nepal. Plants held at Plant Introduction Station, Agricultural Research Service, Glenn Dale, Maryland. Received February 1, 1974.

Edge of cliff by Mande River near Biretante. Tender, herbaceous plant grown for its blooms. Plant erect, spreading, branched with tubular stems, becoming 0.6 to 0.9 m high. Leaves opposite ovate-acuminate, smooth. Flowers two petioled in clusters of 2 to 3 on slender stems, orchid violet purple, 4.4 cm long. Blooms for a long period in winter.

384453. ROSA RUGOSA Thunb. Rosaceae. Rugosa rose.

From Union of Soviet Socialist Republics. Plants held at Plant Introduction Station, Agricultural Research Service, Glenn Dale, Maryland. Received February 1, 1974.

Komarov Botanical Garden, Leningrad. Cuttings from a single plant. Variety with bright pink, double flowers; especially hardy form.

384454 to 384464. HORDEUM VULGARE L. Gramineae.

Barley.

From Union of Soviet Socialist Republics. Seed grown at Krasnodar Experiment Station and presented through N.I. Vavilov Institute of Plant Industry, Leningrad. Received November 26, 1973.

384454. '45 M1'. Winter.

384455. '44 M5'. Winter.

384456. 'KM-1'. Winter.

384457. 'Krasnodarskij 16'. Winter.

384458. 'Krasnodarskij 1918'. Winter.

384459. 'Krasnodarskij 2429'. Winter.